

## RURAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given that the Rural Business Development Advisory Council will hold a meeting open to the public at the following time and place:

> **Thursday, June 12, 2025, 10:00 A.M.** 100 N. 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 400, Phoenix, AZ 85007

Ajo Conference Room (Some members of the Committee may appear telephonically)

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Board may vote to enter into executive session to obtain legal advice on any matter listed on the agenda, including matters not specifically designated in this Notice as matters for consideration in executive session. Executive sessions are not open to the public.

\*Items which may be acted upon by the Board are indicated with an asterisk below.

## I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Members of the Council will attend either in-person or by telephone conference call.

- II. Approval of RBDAC February 18, 2025, Minutes of Meeting\*
- III. Welcome, overview of legislative session, Danny Seiden, Chairman
- IV. ESP25 Evaluation, Teri Orman, Grants & Procurement Manager, ACA
- V. ACA Small Business Update, Robert Theobald, Small Business Ombudsman / VP, Small Business Services
- VI. Arizona Commerce Authority update, Keith Watkins, Sr. Vice President, ACA
- VII. Roundtable Discussion

## VIII. Call to the Public

This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the Board may not discuss items that are not on the agenda.

## IX. Adjournment

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Cindy Williams at 602-845-1200 or cindyw@azcommerce.com. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

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